

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

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: EXAMINER: METZMAIER, D. S.

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FOR: COATED FIBER MATERIAL AND COATING SOLUTION USED THEREFOR:

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 14, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begin on page 10 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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